

PROJECT 1073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 2 Dec 57 02/2030Z	2. LOCATION DALLAS, TEXAS (1 WATT AS)
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Probable Other: (CLOUDS)
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS Four	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 7 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS The observer sighted 4 objects in the northern sky that seemed to be altering their shapes. It then appeared as if there were clouds forming around the objects. The objects slowly moved south disbursed after apparently about 7 minutes.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE South	COMMENTS: On the date of the sighting there were a total of 855 aircraft operations at Love Field Airport. No one at the tower saw anything unusual and no one reported anything unusual to them. The wind was in a southerly direction at altitudes below 20,000 ft. There seems to be no reason why the objects could not have been clouds despite the fact that the observer did not see any other clouds in the sky.
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	

FORM
FTD SEP 63 0-329 (TDE) Previous editions of this form may be used.

[REDACTED] D. DIRECTOR

Also see
25 Nov 67
[REDACTED]

December 6, 1967

[REDACTED]
DALLAS, TEXAS 75218

UFO Department
Patterson Air Force Base
Columbus, Ohio

Gentlemen:

On the 2nd of December at approximately 2:30 or 3:00, I was outside on the patio waiting for a barbecue fire to burn to the point where I could place some meat upon the grill. I was thinking and looking up at the sky and marveling as to the clearness, the intense blue sky and that there was not one cloud in the sky as far as I could see. I saw 4 blurred objects in the sky that seemed to be altering their shapes but it appeared to be due north of me and over the house behind my residence. These blurred objects appeared rather suddenly and within a minute or so after I observed their presence, 4 clouds started to form around them. The wind was blowing from the north at that time and the density of the cloud around the object was intense and soon all that could be seen of the objects were the fact that the immediate area around, above and below the objects seemed to be a thick cloud or smoke. The wind was blowing the cloud and approximately 100 yards from the objects the cloud or streamers of cloud like material dissipated. I looked at these objects for at least 4 or 5 minutes and they were moving very, very slowly, I would say in the neighborhood of 1 to 2 miles an hour and they seemed to hang in the sky. As they reached an overhead position, I saw these 4 distinct shapes, one was round with a scalloped type edge in the rear. I thought that whoever or whatever they might be was looking so I waved to them then I remembered my camera so I went into the house to fetch my camera and when I came out the clouds and the objects were over the house and I could not get a good picture so I went to the front of the house and aimed at the cloud formation to take a picture. When I realized the lense opening was not proper so when I took the camera down from my eye, adjust the lense and the speed of the shutter, I sited the clouds but the density or points of intense densities had disappeared. Within a matter of a minute or minute and half the clouds had disbursed. At that time and prior to the ~~sitting~~ of these clouds, there was no evidence of any other clouds in the whole sky as far as I could see.

On Monday the 4th of December, I was doing surgery with another physician and he stated "how did you like the weekend?" "Wasn't it beautiful out?" I said "Yes, and a funny thing happened". I described the cloud formation and he stated that it happened about 2:30 to 3:00 and I said yes it did and he stated that he saw the cloud formation or this lonely cloud forming and then he also saw it disappear and he was rather interested in this ~~phenomenon~~.

On November 25, 1967 I was either fortunate or unfortunate in observing the positioning or placing of a platform above the Southcentral United States. Is this a coincidence or something to be considered when these 4 objects appear over my house approximately a week later? The day was clear, a wind was blowing, it was between 2:30 and 3:00 when this occurred, I was not

looking at the sun, visibility was unlimited, I was not tired, the lenses of my glasses are and were clean. I imagined the altitude of these objects were in the neighborhood of 4 to 5 thousand feet or less.

Sincerely yours,

Dr. [REDACTED]

LGM/sm

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION
LOVE FIELD AIRPORT TRAFFIC CONTROL TOWER
Dallas, Texas 75235

January 3, 1968

IN REPLY
REFER TO:

Major Hector Quintanilla, Jr.
Chief, Aerial Phenomena Office
Aerospace Technologies Division
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433

Dear Major Quintanilla:

The following is in response to your letter of inquiry dated December 21, 1967, concerning UFO observation at Dallas, Texas on December 2, 1967.

There were 855 aircraft operations at Love Field Airport on the above date. Whether any of these operations could have caused the reported sighting is not known.

No one in the Control Tower observed any unusual sighting of this nature.

No one reported a similar sighting to us on the above date.

Sincerely,

W.B. Thomas
Jack J. Jobe
Chief, Love Tower

TDPT/UFO Maj H Quintanilla, Jr/70916/1sb/21 Dec 67

DEC 21 1967

UFO Observation, 2 December 1967

FAA CONTROL TOWER
Dallas, Municipal Airport
Dallas, Texas 75221

1. The Aerial Phenomena Office is in receipt of an unidentified flying object report from Dallas for 2 December 1967 which occurred at approximately 2:30 or 3 pm local. The witness stated that he was looking at a perfectly clear blue sky when he saw four small clouds materialize, but before he could photograph the clouds, they had disappeared.
2. Was there any activity originating from your airfield that could have caused this sighting? Did anyone in the control tower see anything unusual and did anyone report a similar sighting to you on this day?
3. Thank you for your assistance on this matter.

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SECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Major, USAF
Chief, Aerial Phenomena Office
Aerospace Technologies Division
Production Directorate

Project 5992D - STAR TREK

SCANNING #	1	LOCATION: [Cleveland, Ohio]	DATE: [11 Nov 67]	
HEIGHT ft	mb	TEMP °C	DEW POINT °C	DIRECTION deg
SFC(20L)				220
SFC(21L)				210
SFC(22L)				200
SFC(23L)				210
6,000				220
10,000				240
16,000				250
20,000				230
30,000				230
50,000				260
80,000				300
#2		[DALLAS, TEXAS]		[2 Dec 67]
SFC(14L)				320
SFC(15L)				340
6,000				350
10,000				340
16,000				310
20,000				300
30,000				290
50,000				210
80,000				130

REMARKS: "G" INDICATES SURFACE WIND GUSTS.

DATA SOURCE: ETAC UPPER AIR HISTORY FILES AND ASHEVILLE, N.C. DATA FILES.

ANALYST: SSgt Dunham

TDPTR
Lt. Col. Smith

Request wind velocity and direction:

Dallas, Texas
2 December 1967
1400 & 1500 hours local

at surface, 6,000, 10,000, 16,000, 20,000,
30,000, 50,000, and 80,000 feet.

TDPT (UFO)

21 Dec 67

70916

*including data
whether or not*

2 Rec 67

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY DIVISION (AFSC)
WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE, OHIO 45433



REPLY TO
ATTN OF: TDPT/UFO

SUBJECT: UFO Observation, 2 December 1967

DEC 22 1967

TO: Dr. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Dallas, Texas 75215

Reference your recent unidentified flying object sighting which you reported to the Air Force. The information which we have received is not sufficient for a scientific investigation. Request you complete the attached AF Form 117 and return it in the self-addressed envelope. Thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

JM

JAMES C. MANATT, Colonel, USAF
Director of Production

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AF Form 117